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Shoshana Shoshan To Entertain At Sisterhood Luncheon



Shoshana Shoshan

Soprano Shoshana Shoshan, who has delighted audiences and critics alike, will be the guest performer at the annual luncheon of Sisterhood, Wednesday, December 4, beginning at 11:30 a.m.

Mrs. Shoshan has been acclaimed as a singer of rare talent and artistic ability. She possesses a "large" voice, yet is able to use it in the most restrained manner when a particular song calls for delicacy. She is also known for her fine sense of pitch and thorough musicianship.

This annual luncheon is THE social event of the Sisterhood year, as well as its main fund-raising effort. Proceeds from the luncheon are contributed to the synagogue, community services and philanthropic projects which Sisterhood support.

All the elements of a glamorous afternoon come together in this event: good food, beautiful surroundings, great entertainment and the extra special excitement of a raffle with fantastic prizes.

Those who have attended this luncheon in the past know what a treat it is. Those who have not, are in store for a wonderful surprise. Come to the luncheon this year and bring your friends. Cost per person is only \$45 and admission can be assured by the selling of only one raffle book.

However, the more raffles sold, the more chance there is to win. For additional raffle books, please call the Synagogue Office and speak to the Receptionist. She will be happy to mail you as many raffle books as you wish!

Treat yourself to the Sisterhood Luncheon this year! You'll be glad you did.

New Members Welcomed At Champagne Reception

On Wednesday, November 6, at 8 p.m., our new members will be officially welcomed into the Park Avenue Synagogue family at a Champagne Reception given in their honor.

This festive reception is a splendid opportunity for our new members to meet other new members, our Rabbis, Cantors, Officers and Trustees of the congregation, our Executive Director and his assistant and the leaders of Sisterhood, Men's Club, Parents Association, Women's Evening Group and the Young Couples League.

Book Fair 5746 Opens Sunday, November 3

Book Fair 5746 officially opens its doors on Sunday, November 3 at 10 a.m. in Room 308.

Available will be a wide selection of books of Jewish interest for all ages. Book Fair is a splendid opportunity to add books of Jewish interest to your home libraries, both for adults and for children, as this Book Fair offers both current and classic selections, paperbacks and Jewish novelties.

Our children who attend the Religious School will attend Book Fair with their class. Parents are urged to join their children when they visit Book Fair in order to assist in the selection process.

Plan now to visit Book Fair 5746. Book Fair will be open:

Sunday, November 3, 10 a.m. — 5 p.m.

Monday, November 4, 11:30 a.m. — 8 p.m.

Tuesday, November 5, 11:30 a.m. — 8 p.m.

Wednesday, November 6, 11:30 a.m. — 9 p.m.

Laila Levitas and Joan Schreiber direct a large and enthusiastic committee.

Remember, this year buy your books at Book Fair. With Hanukkah just around the corner, here is a splendid opportunity to buy your Hanukkah presents — for everyone on your list! — at Book Fair.

AIDS Discussed By Dr. Mathilde Krim

Dr. Mathilde Krim, a world renowned research scientist, will discuss the disease AIDS: What It Is, What It Is *NOT* at an Open Meeting sponsored by the Women's Evening Group on Monday, November 25 at 7:30 p.m. The congregation, and its friends are *urged* to attend.

For some time now, not a day has gone by that this dreaded disease is not reported upon in some manner by the media. But it was the disclosure and subsequent death of movie star Rock Hudson that raised the collective consciousness of this country and directed the attention of the world toward this increasingly menacing medical phenomenon. Is this a *NEW* disease? Why has it all but disappeared on the African continent, where it began, only now to be ravaging white, western populations? Are we seeing the beginning of a pandemic similar to the pandemic of influenza in 1918?

During the time of Rock Hudson's public acknowledgment of his disease, the medical authority most sought after by the media for sound information was Dr. Mathilde Krim, a member of our congregation.

Dr. Krim's research credentials are most impressive. For the past 20 years she has been in the forefront of innovative research on cancer and related immunological disorders. Currently she heads the Interferon Laboratory at the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research. She is also the chairperson of the Interferon Advisory Committee of the American Cancer Society. She sits on many medical committees and boards and has published widely. Two years ago, she served as the chairperson of a session on the current research in AIDS at the New York Academy of Sciences Conference on Acquired Immune Deficiency held here in New York.

Take advantage of this opportunity to become better informed about AIDS. Bring your friends, too. Refreshments will be served at 7:30 p.m. The meeting begins promptly at 8 p.m.

SPECIAL ALERT!

There will be an all night vigil at the United Nations on Sunday, November 10 to protest the "Zionism is Racism" resolution on the tenth anniversary of the passage of this infamous resolution. Watch for the announcement of the event and plan to participate in it!

**REMEMBER
THE DAILY MINYAN
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A New Yorker Speaks

For three successive weeks the *New Yorker* magazine published a series of long, detailed treatises on the Lubavitcher Hasidim living in the Crown heights section of Brooklyn. Well researched, documented and filled with the minutiae which form the framework of their lives, these articles were doubtlessly read and admired by thousands of people. The author, new to Jewish life, was obviously deeply impressed and sincerely moved by the goodness, the spirituality and the holiness of Hasidic life. It is difficult not to be filled with admiration for the total commitment that these people have toward their *rebbe*, their faith and their separateness.

So why was I bothered by these articles? I am fully aware of the dedication and enthusiasm of the Lubavitcher sect, and I know of their many contributions to Jewish education and to many individuals like Sheina in the articles, who have found complete happiness by immersing themselves in a community totally self-contained and separate from the world as we know it.

What bothers me is the thought that many Jews may feel that this is "the true Judaism" and that anything else is a copy, is not authentic, has no real spirit. Philosophically, it is always easier to throw oneself heart and soul into a faith with no questions asked, no doubts to plague one's rational mind, to submit oneself to the jurisdiction and will of a *rebbe*. No doubt, their extremism, colorful dress, and utter devotion make for very colorful copy. Hence these articles reach the unlikely pages of the *New Yorker*.

As for me, I am proud of *my* brand of Judaism. It speaks not only to my soul but also to my mind. I reject obedience to anyone but my God, and I hold all other Jews in respect, not merely in tolerance. I love my synagogue, where modern men and women gather with their families by their side, to pray, to be surrounded by beauty in art and in music. I love Judaism, but I do not separate myself from the great American and world cultures in which I live.

Schedule of Religious Services

Friday evening, November 16:15 p.m.

CONSECRATION SERVICE FOR GRADE ALEF

Saturday morning, November 29:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Andrew Block
son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Block

Friday evening, November 86:15 p.m.

Saturday morning, November 99:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Daniel Welt
son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Welt

Friday evening, November 156:15 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL SHABBAT DINNER

Saturday morning, November 169:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Jordan Lewis
son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Lewis

Friday night, November 228:30 p.m.

The first late Friday night service of the Fall

Rabbi Nadich will speak on

"THE WORD OF KAHANE FROM JERUSALEM"

Oneg Shabbat after the service

Saturday morning, November 239:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Peter Blitzer
son of Dr. and Mrs. Andrew Blitzer

Friday evening, November 296:15 p.m.

Saturday morning, November 309:15 a.m.

Bar Mitzvah of Jeffrey Schulweis
son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Schulweis

Rabbis Judah Nadich and Harlan J. Wechsler will preach and conduct the services together with Cantor David Lefkowitz, Assistant Cantor Mark Kula and the synagogue choir, with Neil Robinson at the organ.

Babysitting for children, ages 18 months to 7 years, on the Fifth Floor, every Saturday morning, from 9:15 a.m. to 12 Noon.

Who knows, perhaps some day the *New Yorker* will devote, if not three articles, perhaps at least one to normative Conservative Judaism. One can live in hope!

—Judah Nadich

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Welcome Wendy Fialkoff

Park Avenue Synagogue welcomes Mrs. Wendy Fialkoff to the synagogue staff as the assistant to our Executive Director, Barrie Modlin.

Wendy was born and raised in New York City and graduated from Stern College with a Bachelor of Science degree. Before coming to Park Avenue Synagogue, she was the Grants Administrator and Special Projects Coordinator for the American Technion Society.

In addition to her strong interest in Jewish tradition and culture, Wendy enjoys traveling, reading and playing racquet ball.

When next you are in the synagogue, stop in and say "Hello" to Wendy. She looks forward to meeting and greeting you.

Mr. Phillip Mitthenthal wishes to thank his friends in the synagogue for all their good wishes on the occasion of his 95th birthday.

New Views On Intermarriage Discussed At Men's Club Breakfast

The Men's Club invites the congregation to join them at Breakfast on Sunday, November 10 at 10 a.m. Present will be a special guest, Professor Egon Mayer, Professor of Sociology at Brooklyn College.

Professor Mayer will speak on "Marriage Between Christians and Jews", a discussion based upon his new and controversial book.

Members of Men's Club and prospective members may attend the Breakfast free of charge; non-members will be asked for a small donation of \$3 per person.

To make your reservations(s), please call Herb Feiwel at 744-7704 evenings.

Young Couples League Gives Dinner Party

The Young Couples League invites its members to a dinner party at the home of Emily and Mark Penn, Saturday night, November 16 at 8 p.m.

This annual dinner party is a purely social event, one marked by good food and good times in a congenial atmosphere.

There is a \$25 per couple charge for the evening. For information and/or to make your reservation, please call Emily and Mark Penn at 722-5330.

Congregation Thanks Ushers

Park Avenue Synagogue members express hearty thanks to the corps of ushers who worked diligently to maintain the dignity of the High Holy Days services.

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Course Begins In Sherr Institute

Beginning on Wednesday, November 6 from 8 - 9:30 p.m., a five week course entitled "Varieties of Anti-Semitism: From the Ancient World to the Present", will be taught by Dr. Jack Wertheimer in the Sherr Institute of Adult Jewish Studies.

This course is an historical survey of anti-semitism and its development and nurture through the ages.

Dr. Wertheimer is an Assistant Professor of Jewish History at the Jewish Theological Seminary of America. He has written scholarly essays on American and European Jewish History and is the editor of the soon-to-be-published book, *The American Synagogue in Historical Perspective*.

Please consult the Sherr Institute brochure for this and other on-going classes.

Notes From The Library

Jewish Book Month is celebrated from November 7 to December 7, 1985. Visit the Rothschild Library, your library, to browse, study or select books from our outstanding collections for adults and children. The Library is open:

Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays

3 - 6 p.m.

Wednesdays 3:30 - 6:30 p.m.

Sundays 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Please note that the Library will be closed on Wednesday and Thursday, November 27 and 28 and on Sunday, December 1, in celebration of the Thanksgiving holiday.

Available now in the Rothschild Library is an interesting and informative booklet entitled "On Being Alone", a guide for widowed persons. Please pick up your free copy in the Library during library hours.

Recent new books:

Heilman, The Gate Behind The Wall.

Karp, Haven and Home — A history of the Jews in America

Krinsky, Synagogues of Europe

Levi, If Not Now, When?

Shenker, Coat of Many Colors — Pages from Jewish Life

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Francine Klagsbrun Discusses Her Newest Book

Sisterhood has invited Francine Klagsbrun to speak at its Open Meeting on Tuesday, November 19 at 1 p.m. on her newest book, "Married People: Staying Together in the Age of Divorce".

Mrs. Klagsbrun lectures widely on family and social issues. She and her husband, Dr. Samuel Klagsbrun, are members of the synagogue and their daughter, Sarah, celebrated her Bat Mitzvah with the congregation. In addition to her latest book, she has written "Voices of Wisdom: Jewish Ideals and Ethics for Everyday Living" and "Too Young To Die: Youth and Suicide". She edited "Free To Be... You and Me" with Marlo Thomas and the Ms. Foundation. She has contributed articles to Newsweek, Ms., Family Circle, Ladies Home Journal, McCall's, Redbook and Seventeen magazines. She is also the subject of a close-up in a recent issue of People Magazine.

Sisterhood invites its members and friends to attend this thought provoking afternoon. Refreshments will be served. There will be a question and answer period.

Blood Bank In Neighborhood Sunday, November 3

The Blood Mobile unit of the American Red Cross will be located at the Brick Church Parish House, 62 East 92 St., on Sunday, November 3 from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Park Avenue Synagogue cooperates with neighborhood churches in this blood drive and urges members of the congregation to volunteer to donate blood at this time.

Blood is life and when volunteers give blood they give the gift of life. The needs of the earthquake victims in Mexico City have dramatically reduced the national supply of blood. Therefore, our support of this blood drive is of vital importance to our community.

When you volunteer to give blood on Sunday, November 3, tell the Red Cross that you are a volunteer donor from Park Avenue Synagogue.

Retirees Club To Meet Weekly On Tuesdays

The Retirees have decided to change the day of the week upon which they hold their meetings from Thursdays to **TUESDAYS** at 1:30 p.m.

All men who are retired or semi-retired are cordially invited to join the Retirees Club.

For information on activities, please call Sidney Friedman, 369-7452.

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Friday Night Dinner November 15 After Service

What? You haven't made your reservation yet for the Friday night Dinner, November 15?

Better hurry or you will miss out. Reservations are accepted on a first come, first served basis and now that everyone in the congregation knows how wonderful these dinners are, they fill up quickly.

The dinner during Sukkot — a first for the committee — was a great success. All the ingredients were present: ritual, good food, singing, fine company. And *next* year, it won't rain!

Treat yourself to at least one Friday night Dinner this year. Once experienced, you'll want to come back again and again.

Volunteers Sought For Neighborhood Project

The Burden Center for the Aging, located at 445 East 85 Street, is seeking volunteers to help them service the growing neighborhood population of homebound senior citizens.

Volunteers who have been involved in the Burden Center volunteer program in the past have found it to be extremely gratifying and have achieved a strong sense of personal satisfaction.

What is needed is a contribution of the volunteer's *TIME* to visit and perhaps assist in a small way a homebound senior who is finding it difficult to cope with daily living.

For more information, please call Rabbi Wechsler, 369-2600.

Thinking Of A Trip To Israel?

The Synagogue Council of America has written to every Rabbi in the country urging him/her to stimulate tourism to Israel during the new Jewish year that has recently begun. Composed of national rabbinic and congregational organizations of the Conservative, Orthodox and Reform movements in the United States, the Council has inaugurated a campaign called "Operation Friend to Friend".

Believe it or not, most American Jews have never been to Israel. In fact, less than a quarter of the community has visited Israel. Last year there were more Christian tourists than Jewish visitors in Israel, the number of Jewish visitors numbering only 35%. Tourism helped Israel's trade balance in 1984 in the amount of \$1.1 billion, yet that figure only represents the tip of the iceberg.

Rabbi Nadich is willing to lead a trip to Israel of members of Park Avenue Synagogue and their friends provided that a sufficient number indicate interest. The trip would be planned for the spring or early summer of 1986. If you would be interested in learning more about it, please drop a note to Rabbi Nadich at the synagogue.

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Second Generation Artists Of Holocaust Survivors Form Network

The Second Generation of Greater New York has formed a network of artists of children of Holocaust survivors. All artists who work professionally in any medium — visual, performing, literary — or on any theme — Holocaust or non-Holocaust, Jewish or non-Jewish — are invited to join and participate in this network.

The group will meet once a month at a member's home and will exchange information, contacts, experience as Second Generation artists, or just *shmooz* over coffee and cake.

For further information, please call Allen Salzberg, 737-5974.

Series On The Eternal Light Deals With Marriage

The Jewish Theological Seminary of America has produced, in celebration of the 40th anniversary of the NBC/Eternal Light Radio Program, a special four part series entitled "Love and Marriage: A Jewish Perspective" based upon the book, *Married People: Staying Together in the Age of Divorce*.

Francine Klagsbrun, author of the book, with her psychiatrist husband Dr. Samuel Klagsbrun, combine their talents to bring to the air a most unusual series of broadcasts on an important subject.

Aired over WNBC Radio, 660 on the A.M. dial, from 7:30 - 8 a.m., the Klagsbrun's radio series include four programs that trace the different stages of marriage. Part I will be aired on Sunday, November 3 and is entitled "The Early Years: Expectations and Conflicts; Part II on Sunday, November 10 will examine "Children: Blessings and Burdens"; Part III, November 17, "The Middle Years: Changing Realities; Part IV, November 24, "Staying Married: What Makes A Marriage Succeed?".

The Klagsbrun Family are members of Park Avenue Synagogue and Mrs. Klagsbrun will be the guest speaker this month at the Sisterhood Open Meeting, Tuesday, November 19 at 1 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman S. Sandler
Dr. and Mrs. James A. Sasmor
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Aliyah Conference Open to Jewish Community

The New York Board of Rabbis and the Israel Aliyah Center are sponsoring an "Israel Opportunities and Aliyah Conference" on Sunday, March 16, 1986 at Congregation Kehilath Jeshurun, 125 East 85 St., New York from 1 — 5 p.m.

Current information, advice and guidance on Israel will be available at the Conference. There will be workshops on Social Adjustment, Employment, Business Opportunities, Investments, Tourism, Retirement in Israel, Educational Opportunities, Moshav and Kibbutz, Short Term Programs and Housing.

There are now more than 50 national, regional and community organizations which are cooperating to make this conference a historic tri-state educational event for both the Jewish community and American *Olim*.

The Planning Committee for this conference is seeking volunteers. Already a member of Park Avenue Synagogue has volunteered her services, but more volunteers are needed. For information about the conference or about becoming a volunteer for this conference, please call 718-336-1215.

Condolences

Park Avenue Synagogue extends heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved of our congregation and to their families:

Mr. Ira Bellsey, upon the death of his father, Solomon; **Mr. Peter Bellsey**, upon the death of his grandfather.

Mrs. Mildred Goodman, upon the death of her husband, Samuel; **Mrs. Abner Friedman**, upon the death of her brother.

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Mr. Jacob Mehl, upon the death of his mother, Betty Mehl.

Hon. Millard Midonick, upon the death of his mother, Henrietta.

The family of the late **Marguerite Rollin**.

Mr. Peter Solomon, upon the death of his uncle, Sidney Rabb.

Join Book Discussion Group

The second of three book discussion groups will be held in the Rothschild Library on Monday, December 2 at 8 p.m.

For information on the book to be discussed please call Sandy and Jonathan Merrill, at 249-4264.

Decoration Of Bride's Room Nears Completion

Robert Altman has recently made a contribution to the synagogue for the purpose of completing the decoration of the Bride's Room, in memory of his wife, Edna.

The congregation thanks him for this meaningful gift.

New Kind of Israel Bond Available For Investment

Many members of Park Avenue Synagogue have assisted directly in the strengthening of Israel's economy when they answered the appeal made by Rabbi Nadich on the last day of Passover to purchase Israel Bonds.

Since 1951 over 7 billion dollars in Israel Bonds and other Israel securities have been sold in the United States. Now a new financial instrument is being issued in response to requests for a larger denomination of Israel Bond with a higher yield. It is being purchased for deposit in IRA, Keogh plans, endowment or foundation programs, or gifts to children. This new instrument is called the Individual Variable Rate Bond (IVRI) and it pays an annual interest rate of a minimum of 6% plus 50% of the difference between 6% and the prime rate as quoted each April 1 and October 1. The minimum purchase is \$10,000 and it matures in 10 years. It may be transferred only to a tax-exempt charitable, religious or educational institution or to the owner's spouse, children, grandchildren, parents or grandparents, or to a bank or financial institution as collateral for a loan.

For more information on IVRIs, please call Jean Shapiro at the Israel Bond Office, 677-9650.

We Take Pride In:

Joel J. Cohen, who was the subject of profiles in both the New York Law Review and Fortune Magazine.

Etta Goldstein, who was honored with the "Women of the Year" award at the annual Israel Bond Luncheon and Fashion Show. Mrs. Goldstein is chairperson of the Greater New York Women's Division of State of Israel Bonds.

Irving Kristol, who has announced the new magazine, *The National Interest*, of which he will be the publisher.

Cantor David Lefkowitz, whose recording of the music by Lewandowski for returning the Torah to the Ark was used in a broadcast over Radio Berlin.

Carole Bayer Sager, daughter of **Anita Bayer**, upon the publication of her new novel, *Extravagant Gestures*.

CONTRIBUTIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Abrams, in honor of his sister, Joann Abrams Rosoff being named Kalah Maferet.

Mr. Henry Anouna, in memory of his brother, Jacques Anouna.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence S. Barasch, in honor of the naming of their granddaughter, Kimberly Frieda-Sue Barasch.

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Edythe G. Bergida, in honor of the 75th birthday of Harold Rifkind.

Mrs. Morris E. Biederman, in memory of her father, Joseph Grabelsky.

Mr. Harry Blumenthal, in memory of his father, Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Blumstein, in honor of their anniversary.

Dr. Meri Bodoff, in memory of her mother, Elsa Schachter.

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Mr. Harry A. Cohen, in memory of his father, Joseph.

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Mrs. Hilda W. Davidson, in honor of the 95th birthday of Philip Mittenhal.

Sylvia and Sam Deutsch, in memory of Polly Hoffman.

Mr. James P. Druckman, in honor of his father, David Druckman being named Hatan Bereshit.

Mr. Samuel Edelman, in memory of his mother, Mollie Edelman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Edelstein, in honor of forthcoming marriage of their son, Steven, to Margorie Glazer.

Gussie and Nathan Fogelson, in honor of the 75th birthday of Harold Rifkind.

Dr. Irving L. Fried, in memory of his mother, Mary Fried, and his father, Barney Fried.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack I. Goldfinger, in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. Harold and Dr. Sylvia Friedman.

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Dr. Hattie Grossman, in honor of the recovery of Peggy Manna.

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Our Selihot Service Telecast Coast-To-Coast

Our Selihot service, telecast by the American Broadcasting System from coast-to-coast, was seen by eight million people and has resulted in glowing letters of praise and appreciation from all parts of the United States. The telecast, entitled "The Night of Awe", was offered by the American Broadcasting Company as an ABC News Special and was presented in cooperation with the Jewish Theological Seminary of America. It was viewed in the New York City area over WABC-TV, Channel 7, Sunday, September 15, 1985, from 12:30-1:30 p.m. and over ABC television channels in other parts of the country, either during the same hour or at another time.

The Preparations

The preparations for the telecast began some time earlier with meetings between Robert Murphy, producer and director of special events at ABC; Milton Krents, head of the radio and television department of the Jewish Theological Seminary of America; Adele Breen, his assistant; Barrie Modlin, Executive Director of Park Avenue Synagogue and Rabbi Nadich. On-camera takes were shot on Wednesday, September 4, including the opening and closing of the program by Rabbi Nadich. The 2½ minute opening included a brief description of the history of Park Avenue Synagogue, the meaning of the Selihot service and a link between the event and the 40th anniversary of the end of World War II and the 40th anniversary of the liberation of the concentration camps.

Other shots taken the same day were those of the exterior and interior of the synagogue and school building, Alan Levine blowing the shofar, close-ups of the Holocaust Torah, the memorial plaque listing the names of the men of the congregation killed during World War II, the dome of the sanctuary and two of the Adolph Gottlieb stained glass windows illustrating Rosh Hashanah and Yom Kippur.


On the night of Saturday, September 7, the entire Selihot service was shot with close-ups of the participants on the pulpit and of worshipers in the congregation. Frequently, the camera would center on Rabbi Nadich, Rabbi Wechsler, Cantor Lefkowitz, Martin J. Milston, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Joel J. Cohen, Honorary President, members of the choir and individual worshipers. The presence of cameras and microphones in the sanctuary did not in any way disturb the regular flow of the service or distract the worshipers.

The Television Program

Eight days later, on September 15, the eve of Rosh Hashanah, the Selihot Service of Park Avenue Synagogue was shown to a national television audience. The disparate segments were skillfully integrated into a unified program of artistic merit. The words spoken and sung were inspiring, the music was up-lifting and the sanctuary never looked more beautiful.

Next Month: The Response

MORNING MINYAN
EVERY THURSDAY — 7:30 a.m.



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CALENDAR OF EVENTS for NOVEMBER, 1985

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<div> <p>JOIN THE RECIPE OF THE MONTH CLUB</p> <p>Send in your favorite SOUP RECIPE to THE KOSHER COOKBOOK PROJECT, Park Avenue Synagogue, 50 East 87 St., New York, N.Y. 10128.</p> <p><i>DO IT TODAY!</i></p> </div>					<p>1</p> <p>11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>6:15 p.m. Friday Night Service Consecration of Grade Alef Reception follows service Light Candles 4:33 p.m.</p>	<p>2</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Andrew Block</p> <p>Babysitting available on Fifth Floor</p> <p>5 p.m. Study Session followed by Service</p>
<p>3</p> <p>9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>10 a.m. - 5 p.m. BOOK FAIR 5746</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>4</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. BOOK FAIR 5746</p> <p>1 p.m. Beginner's Hebrew</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Synagogue Hebrew</p>	<p>5 ELECTION DAY Remember to VOTE</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>11:30 a.m. - 8 p.m. BOOK FAIR 5746</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Retirees Club</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Talmud Parents & Children</p>	<p>6</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>11:30 a.m. - 9 p.m. BOOK FAIR 5746</p> <p>1 p.m. Advanced Hebrew</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Mothers & Their One Year Olds</p> <p>3:30 - 6:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. course "Anti-Semitism" Champagne Reception in honor of New Members</p>	<p>7</p> <p>7:30 a.m. Morning Minyan Breakfast served</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Intermediate Hebrew II</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>12 Noon Adult Bar/Bat Mitzvah Lunch 'N' Study</p> <p>1 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew I</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>8</p> <p>11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>6:15 Friday Night Service Light Candles 4:25 p.m.</p>	<p>9</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Daniel Welt</p> <p>Babysitting available on Fifth Floor</p> <p>5 p.m. Study Session followed by Service</p>
<p>10</p> <p>9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>10 a.m. Men's Club Breakfast Professor Egon Mayer on Intermarriage</p> <p>10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>AT THE U.N. ALL-NIGHT VIGIL Watch for special announcement of time and place</p>	<p>11 VETERANS DAY</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Beginner's Hebrew</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Synagogue Hebrew</p>	<p>12</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>12 Noon Sisterhood Bd.</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Retirees Club</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Talmud Parents & Children</p> <p>8:15 p.m. Men's Club Bd.</p>	<p>13</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Adv. Hebrew</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Mothers & Their One Year Olds</p> <p>3:30 - 6:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. course "Anti-Semitism"</p>	<p>14 ROSH HODESH KISLEV</p> <p>7:30 a.m. Morning Minyan Breakfast served</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Intermediate Hebrew II</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>12 Noon Adult Bar/Bat Mitzvah Lunch 'N' Study</p> <p>1 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew I</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>15</p> <p>11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>6:15 p.m. Friday Night Service followed by Congregational Shabbat Dinner by advance reservation only</p> <p>Light Candles 4:18 p.m.</p>	<p>16</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Jordan Lewis</p> <p>Babysitting available on Fifth Floor</p> <p>5 p.m. Study Session followed by Service</p> <p>8 p.m. Young Couples League Dinner Party at home of Emily and Mark Penn by advance reservation only</p>
<p>17</p> <p>9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Holiday Boutique to benefit Camp Ramah at home of Dr. and Mrs. Alan Davidson 1120 Park Ave. at 90th St.</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Beginner's Hebrew</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>18</p> <p>10 a.m. - 9 p.m. Holiday Boutique to benefit Camp Ramah at home of Dr. and Mrs. Alan Davidson 1120 Park Ave. at 90th St.</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Beginner's Hebrew</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Synagogue Hebrew</p>	<p>19</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Sisterhood Open Meeting Francine Klagsbrun Guest Speaker</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Retirees Club</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Talmud Parents & Children</p>	<p>20</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Advanced Hebrew</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Mothers & Their One Year Olds</p> <p>3:30 - 6:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. "Anti-Semitism"</p>	<p>21</p> <p>7:30 a.m. Morning Minyan Breakfast served</p> <p>10:30 a.m. Intermediate Hebrew II</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>12 Noon Adult Bar/Bat Mitzvah Lunch 'N' Study</p> <p>1 p.m. Intermediate Hebrew I</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8:15 p.m. Bd. of Trustees Advisory Council</p>	<p>22</p> <p>11 a.m. - 3 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>8:30 p.m. Friday Night Service Rabbi Judah Nadich will speak on THE WORD OF KAHANE FROM JERUSALEM Oneg Shabbat follows service</p> <p>Light Candles 4:13 p.m.</p>	<p>23</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Peter Blitzer</p> <p>Babysitting available on Fifth Floor</p> <p>5 p.m. Study Session followed by Service</p>
<p>24</p> <p>9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>10 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>25</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Beginner's Hebrew</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>7:30 p.m. Women's Evening Group Open Meeting Dr. Mathilde Krim discusses AIDS All are welcome</p> <p>8 p.m. Synagogue Hebrew</p>	<p>26</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1:30 p.m. Retirees Club</p> <p>3 - 6 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p> <p>8 p.m. Talmud Parents & Children</p>	<p>27</p> <p>11 a.m. - 5 p.m. Gift Shop Open</p> <p>1 p.m. Advanced Hebrew</p> <p>2:30 p.m. Mothers & Their One Year Olds</p> <p>3:30 - 6:30 p.m. Library Open</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>28</p> <p>THANKSGIVING Holiday Synagogue Office Closed</p> <p>5:45 p.m. Daily Minyan</p>	<p>29</p> <p>THANKSGIVING Holiday Synagogue Office Closed</p> <p>6:15 p.m. Friday Night Service Light Candles 4:10 p.m.</p>	<p>30</p> <p>9:15 a.m. Shabbat Service</p> <p>Bar Mitzvah Jeffrey Schulweis</p> <p>Babysitting available on Fifth Floor</p> <p>5 p.m. Study Session followed by Service</p>

Contributions

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Mr. and Mrs. Peter Aron Hoffman, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Jankoff, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Armand Joffe, in memory of her father, Theodore Wolf.

Mrs. Louis Joffe, in memory of her husband.

Mrs. George A. Katz.

Mrs. Mary Katz, in memory of Benne Katz.

Mrs. Bergie Kaufman, in honor of David Druckman being named Hatan Bereshit.

Ms. Gladys B. Kessler, in memory of her brother, Jesse Bloomfield.

Kittay & Blitz Inc., in memory of Marguerite Rollin.

Mr. Paul Kronish, in memory of his father, Ben Kronish.

Mr. Marc Kunen, in memory of his father, Abraham Kunen.

Mrs. Martin Kurzner, in memory of her mother, Ann Goldberg.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman G. Lane.

Mr. Ira L. Lee, in memory of his mother, Ethel K. Lee.

Isaac and Betty Mandel, in honor of the 75th birthday of Harold Rifkind.

Mr. Joseph P. Mandelbaum, in memory of his wife, Polly.

Mr. Lawrence A. Meyers, in memory of his father, Max Meyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Mittenenthal, in memory of of Elizabeth Field.

Mrs. Philip Mittenenthal, in honor of the 95th birthday of her husband.

David and Naomi Neft, in memory of Freida Farovitch.

Esther and Jack Oberman, in memory of her mother, Ida Kaplan.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald F. Phillips, in honor of the engagement of their son, Louis, to Jacquelin Saltzman.

Mrs. Howard Rappaport, in memory of her father, Israel Jacobs.

Mr. Harold J. Rifkind, in honor of his 75th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robbins, in honor of their wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Irma S. Rose, in honor of the milestone birthday of Philip Mittenenthal.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Rosenthal, in honor of the 75th birthday of Harold Rifkind.

Dr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rothaus, in memory of Harold Podolsky.

Mrs. Murray Rothenberg, in memory of her husband.

Ms. Charlotte Rothenfeld, in honor of the birthday of Philip Mittenenthal.

Mrs. Anne Rudell, in memory of Leon Klinghoffer, cruelly murdered by the PLO aboard the Achille Lauro October 8, 1985.

Mr. Arnold Scheinert.

Ms. Sitta B. Simon, in memory of Milton Heller.

Ms. Laura Stein, in memory of Marguerite Rollin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Sugarman, in appreciation of the spiritual help the *shul* gave to them.

Mr. Albert W. Surrey, in memory of his mother, Rachel Surrey.

Mr. Robert Towers, in memory of his father, Solomon Turetzky.

Mr. Ray L. Treiger, in memory of his father, Sam Treiger.

Dr. and Mrs. Bernard Weiss, in memory of James J. Sherman.

Ms. Esther Barasch Woolf, in memory of Marguerite Rollin.

Joan Cohen Scholarship Fund

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The Bear Family, in honor of Clara Hammel.

Dr. and Mrs. Leslie M. Hammel, in honor of the birthday of Robert Greer.

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Ms. Hanna Peto, in honor of Clara Hammel.

Howard A. Kieval Memorial Scholarship Fund

Mrs. Judith K. Kieval, in memory of her husband, Howard A. Kieval.

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